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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION** 

**GROUP 3600** 

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 03/16/2004, Applicant submits the following.

## **ELECTION**

1. Applicant elects to restrict this application to the species designated by the Examiner as Species I, relating to Figs. 1-11, and directed to claims 1-7.

Respectfully submitted,

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